

UNION WITH CANADA.

A BOLD DECLARATION FROM A LEADING CANADIAN PAPER.

Association the Manifest Destiny of the Dominion—Bored to This Country by Ties of Commercial Interest.

From the Public Telegraph.

We are for throwing off the mask. There is no silly dillydally over the future of this country any longer. An annexation—political annexation—is the manifest destiny of this Dominion. The commercial interests of the maritime provinces are bound up with the New England States and the American sea. The trade of those provinces goes south, not west. For the people of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island annexation would mean prosperity. Once the barrier, with its tariff, was removed, the province by the sea would advance with a bound. What they now send to the market, for a thousand miles by rail, could be carried to a larger market by sea. And what is true of the maritime provinces is equally true of Quebec and Ontario.

Our interests, too, are South—South all the time. We want American capital to develop our mineral wealth, to take advantage of our economic power, and to utilize our economic power. If the Stars and Stripes were floating from the citadel American capital would pour into our city, and enterprise and push would be the order of the day; and as it is in Quebec so it is in Montreal. The open market with the United States would give an impetus to trade all along the frontier and on both sides of the line. Quebec and Ontario have, commercially, little or nothing in common with the Canadian Northwest and British Columbia. Why should the farmer of the Northwest be forced to buy what he needs from other quarters, and then drag it 1,000 or 2,000 miles on a railroad, when he can buy cheaper nearer home in St. Paul or San Francisco? It is because of loyalty? If so, then that is a nation. We are loyal to ourselves. We are loyal to the interest of the people of Canada before the interests of the people of Great Britain. We place the interests of Halifax, Quebec, Montreal, Winnipeg and Vancouver before those of Liverpool, Manchester or London.

What is best for ourselves? That is the motto for Canadians to adopt, and if they only open their eyes and look around them they must, in the natural order of things, answer, annexation; political annexation with the United States. As a State in the Union, Quebec would have more power than she has now. She would be more self-contained and exercise greater power in the direction of her internal affairs. The Catholics in the United States are as strong and as free as they are here. Protestants are the ruling power there as they are in the Dominion; neither would have anything to fear by the change.

Then look at the political advantages we would gain. The appointing power would be at an end. No more imbeciles would be appointed to the Senate because they belonged to the party in power. All men would be obliged to run the gauntlet of an election, and the highest office in the land would be open to all. And every word of what we say to-day is known to the people of Canada. Sympathy, however, ties the tongues of thousands.

Sir John Macdonald may say what he pleases about the McKinley bill, and that it will only have the effect of directing our trade to other quarters. No doubt it will have an appreciable effect in that way; but, no doubt, too, the bill is a deadly blow at our trade, and trade is what we want, not twaddle about "loyalty to the Crown," and, if it, those who believe in annexation only have the courage of their convictions and speak out as we do, they will hasten the day, the welcome day, when we can cut ourselves free from the Empire. May it be soon and sudden.

BIRCHALL'S TRIAL.

ixing the Links in the Chain That May Lead Him to Death.

ODONCOCK, Ont., Sept. 24.—The third day of the great murder trial opened with the case looking decidedly black for Reginald Birchall. Every point in the damaging evidence advanced by the Crown is being opposed with mastery skill by the defense, but the line of evidence remains unbroken. The defense, so far, has been extremely severe in cross-examination. What will be offered when the defense opens its case remains a mystery. The evidence given to-day, Dr. Taylor's bit of the wounds, either of which would have produced instantaneous death.

Decision in the Guy Case Delivered.

It is not likely, on account of the continued illness of Engineer Commissioner Robert, that the decision in the Guy case will be determined upon at the time Commissioner Hine retires, on Wednesday next, and Mr. Ross becomes his successor. When Commissioner Hine was on the bench, before the case was heard, he had retired from office he will have nothing further to do with the Guy case, and of course Commissioner Ross will have no say in the matter. Chief Justice Blair said this morning that he would not, he thought, submit his written opinion as to the guilt or innocence of Lieutenant Guy and that the decisions of Commissioners Douglas and Blair would be all sufficient to settle the case.

Says the Horses Were Not Sound.

Ed Jenkins has brought suit against William F. Geyer for damages to the amount of \$500 and interest from April 29, 1890. She alleges that Geyer, in July last, sold her three horses at \$150 apiece, and represented to her that the horses were perfectly sound and free from defects of all kind. Notwithstanding his guarantee the horses proved to be unsound and not worth more than \$47 apiece. She offered to return the horses to him and allow him \$148 for the balance of her money. The defendant refused to do this and therefore she claims \$307 damages, the balance due her.

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ROMANCE OF A DEAD HEART.

How a Canadian Doctor Claimed to Death What He Lost in Life.

DEMONTEUX, Vt., Sept. 24.—For resurrecting his lady love and cutting out her heart a popular young Canadian physician, Dr. Armand Patenaud, is wanted on a charge of grave-robbing. The doctor belongs to a prominent French Canadian family, and came to Wisconsin to practice. There he fell in love with a farmer's daughter, Catherine Collier.

Dr. Patenaud became infatuated with the girl, who rebuffed his advances and declared that she loved another. The doctor, however, persisted, and one day the girl told him in jest: "You shall have my heart when I am dead." "Do you mean it?" asked the doctor. "Why, of course," was the laughing reply.

Last week the girl fell sick of pneumonia, and despite the utmost exertion of Patenaud's skill she died and was buried in the parish churchyard. The very next day the grave was found to have been disturbed and the body was missing. Eventually the corpse was found in the woods with the heart cut out.

NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION.

Striking Painters and Their Employers Promise to be Satisfied.

The struggle between the master painters and their striking journeymen promises to be a long one. The fight is carried on in a quiet but determined manner, and there is little change in the situation from day to day. The strikers claim that they are rapidly increasing the number of men at work on the eight-hour plan. This morning they had about 350 men at work. The master painters claim that they have sufficient men to fill the demands and that the strikers are capturing but few of the important men. This is the present state of the strike, and the situation will probably remain unchanged until one side or the other gives in.

A CLERICAL SCOUNDREL.

A Disgraceful Minister Abandons the Women Who Were His Wife.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The Rev. Mr. Hagins left this place some months ago ostensibly to go to Jamestown. It has not been heard from since. It now appears that he has a wife and another family somewhere else, and that he has coolly abandoned the woman with whom he went through the form of a marriage in Ulster. Mr. Hagins and his two-year-old child still occupy the parsonage on Oneida street, but she is destitute.

Licensed to Wed.

Marriage licenses were issued to the following persons to-day: Frank J. McKenna and Estelle V. Miller; James H. Parsons and Caroline Grimes; George W. Littlefield and Maggie E. Swank; William Donald of E. River, Mass., and Ada May Greenwood of Washington; Raymond I. Collins and Mary E. Grady; Martin A. Walsh of Chicago, and Mary A. Cratty of Washington; Thomas J. Ensign and Eugene Tucker; Henry D. Glascock and Florence I. Adams; Charles E. Estes of Morgan, N. C., and Alice V. Kingsberg; Oliver J. Hart and Emma H. Leoff.

They Had Both Been There Before.

Two old sports, John Williams and Morris Gacy, stood side by side in the dock at the Police Court this morning, charged with being vagrants and frequenting Lafayette Square. They held a hurried consultation, and Williams agreed to plead guilty, but Gacy demanded a trial. The first evidence given was that he had just come out of the workhouse, where he had served time for the same offense. Both of them were sent down.

Hesitates to Assume the Task.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The Madrid correspondent to the Times says: "The Spanish Colonial Minister has informed the cabinet that he is not prepared to undertake the conversion of the Cuban bonds."

And in Wamawam's City!

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—In the case of Charles A. Ventner and other peddlers of the "Kreutzer Sonata" who had been arrested on the charge of inducing the sale of the picture, Judge Thayer to-day delivered an opinion in which he decided that the relations had committed no offense, and therefore discharged them.

German Wine Growers Growling.

BERLIN, Sept. 24.—The Society of German Wine Growers has sent a memorial to Chancellor von Caprivi declaring that the McKinley Tariff bill will ruin the export trade with America, and asking whether it is possible to obviate this by diplomatic means.

Perhaps Fatally Wounded.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—William P. Reiche, a landholder at 709 Green street, was this morning shot and dangerously wounded by Henry Newcombe, a junk dealer, at No. 700 Green street. There was no reasonable excuse for his act.

Domesticated by Accusation.

BUDGET, CONN., Sept. 24.—The Democratic Congressional Convention for 1890, which the district held here to-day, nominated Hon. Robert E. De Forest of this city for Congress by acclamation.

Troops and Strikers.

VIENNA, Sept. 24.—The miners on strike number 3,000. Troops have taken possession of the mines. The soldiers have made several charges on disorderly crowds, and many arrests have been made.

Sought a More Congenial Climate.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The official who ordered the troops to fire on the demonstrators at Gosport has died. The Governor has been advised to keep in doors. There is intense excitement.

Mr. Russell Re-nominates.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 24.—The Republicans of the First Congressional District to-day re-nominated Hon. Chas. S. Russell by acclamation.

Due to Anger.

BERLIN, Sept. 24.—Francis Hock's death was caused by anger, due to the degradation of the heart.

Two of a Kind.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The Queen of Roumania will visit Queen Victoria at Balmoral.

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COULD NOT SUSTAIN THE CHARGE.

Mrs. Spies is Acquitted of Keeping a Disorderly House.

Mrs. Margaret Spies, a resident of No. 800 Seventh street southwest, was before Judge Miller to-day charged with keeping a disorderly house. Three neighbors testified that there was piano playing late at night and the clinking of bottles and glasses heard in the back yard. Men were seen to go in and out of the place at unreasonable hours of the night.

Mrs. Spies on the stand stated that she was a widow and ran a confectionery and cigar store to support her two children. She had a sister who occasionally visited her, also two other girls who were employed as servants in a hotel. They were all musicians and frequently sang and performed on the piano.

Mr. Cahill, who represented Mrs. Spies, declared that she was a hard-working, respectable woman. Judge Miller warned the defendant that she would have to exercise a little more discretion in the future and dismissed the case.

HARDLY HUMANE.

The Agent for the Society Leaves a Horse in Front of a Station.

M. P. Key, the agent of the Humane Society, was in the Police Court this morning charged with violating the District laws in leaving a loaded cart standing near the corner of Twenty-second and P streets. He exhibited the horse from a cart driven by a colored man and took the animal to the Third Precinct station, where, according to Officer O'Rourke's testimony, the horse was hitched to a post in front for a day and a night. In the meantime the cart was left in the middle of the street.

Judge Miller said that he would not fine Mr. Key but warn him that only in case of actual emergency or an accident should a conveyance be left in the street. In this instance the horse was slightly crippled, but had been working right along. The owner was in court one week ago and Judge Miller ordered him to use the horse again until in a condition to be worked.

BECAME ENTHUSIASTIC.

Liked the Performance and Meant to Have People Know It.

Frank Crawford, a stone cutter, became enthusiastic over the performance of "A Perilous Voyage" at Harris Theatre last night, and as a result he was arrested by Officer O'Rourke and given a perfunctory view in the patrol wagon to the first precinct station.

To court this morning he told Judge Miller that he was merely laughing at the play. "What was it?" asked the Judge. "Comedy or tragedy?" "Oh, kind of a naval drama, you know, and I was very much pleased with it."

The officer and an usher in the theatre stated that Crawford was shouting and annoying both the audience and the performers.

Judge Miller dismissed the case, but told the defendant that he must try to conduct himself more properly when he went to the theatre next time.

To Prevent an Epidemic.

Dr. Townshend of the Health Department says that no fear of a typhoid fever epidemic need be felt in this city. There are few cases in Brighton, but not enough to cause a special alarm. Not to take any risks, however, the Health Department is reporting unclean alleys to the Commissioners, and the recommendation that they be improved under the compulsory act. Dr. Townshend is also endeavoring to have a law passed by which physicians will be compelled to file full information concerning all contagious diseases which they have under treatment.

Alleged to be Murderers.

ASTORIA, Ore., Sept. 24.—The chief of police was told yesterday by a prisoner in the city penitentiary that three brothers named Whitefield, who are in jail for petty offenses, had confessed to him that they had murdered a man named Crosby in Tacoma, Wash., about a year ago. The Whitefields came here from Astoria, Wash., and it is said they belong to wealthy parents.

The Daily Revelations Were Gossip.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—The daily revelations are an old matter. They were submitted to Gladstone and Harcourt and other Ministers who ignored what they believed to be mere gossip. O'Brien renewed the story against the wishes of Maunton himself.

Changed His Plea.

TROY, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Arthur Buett, who yesterday pleaded guilty to the charge of attempted train-wrecking, today withdrew his plea and entered one of not guilty. The trial was set down for to-morrow.

Ride Received.

The Commissioners received to-day bids from Messrs. Albert Gleason, M. F. Tally, C. H. Ealing, William Holmes, T. L. Lyons, William H. Miller, J. M. Dagan and Andrew Gleason for the regulating and grading of suburban streets.

He Labeled Royalty.

MONTREAL, Sept. 24.—The charge of helling Prince George against H. N. O'Brien was tried to-day. After hearing three hours of testimony, Magistrate O'Brien in \$300 personal bonds for his appearance before the Queen's Bench.

To Relieve the Sufferers.

PARIS, Sept. 24.—It is announced that President Carnot will visit the flooded districts. Relief for the sufferers by the floods will be asked from the Chamber of Deputies.

Revolution in India.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 24.—A revolution has broken out in Manipal. The Maharajah has fled and his brother has assumed control.

O'Brien Suffering From Catarrh.

DECEMBER, Sept. 24.—Mr. Patrick O'Brien M. P., who was arrested here yesterday, is suffering from gastric catarrh.

Colonel Robert Convinced.

Engineer Commissioner Robert was reported to-day as able to sit up and in a fair way towards convalescence.

A New Eye for Goldfish.

From the Boston Post.

Mistress to Maid—What have you done with the goldfish, Adeline? "Oh, madame! since I never saw it, I planned on my bonnet."

Babies' Names.

Would you know the baby's name? Baby's name is mother's eye. Mother's eye and smile together make the baby's name. Mothers, keep your eyes from tears. Keep your hearts from foolish fears. Keep your lips from foolish words. Lead the baby into the world.

—M. C. Burdett.

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BALTIMORE STORE.

4 and 6 WEST BALTIMORE STREET.

AN OLD PUMP.

It Does Yeoman Service for the Thrifty Wayfarer.

On the east side of Eleventh street, near G, is an old pump which is more useful than an ornamental. How long it has been there nobody seems to know, and people in the neighborhood have an idea that the water from it has certain excellent properties of a health-giving character far superior to that coming through the regular water mains. This pump, and its side bar handle is almost continuously in operation both day and night, or at least so during the hot summer months. Late into the night some thirty or forty people are seen drinking of the pure water, and it is said the slumbers of some folks have been disturbed by the incessant manipulation of the old pump handle.

A curious thing about the pump is that drinking bottles and cups placed upon it have been carried off, oyster cans, etc., which superseded the heavy iron handle. Prices of same are used and frequently appropriated. The old pump has a history, and long may its waters flow for the good of mankind, and the temperance cause. The old pump stock should be removed and a more ornamental one substituted, as the neighborhood in which it stands is among the leading business thoroughfares of the city.

During the extensive building operations which have for months been in progress on Tenth, Eleventh and G streets the mechanics and laborers have found the best kind of a beverage while waiting for their noonday lunch. It is used as much perhaps, or nearly so, as the Coddswell fountain.

Outgoing and Incoming Commissioners.

On Wednesday next, October 1, Commissioner Hine will retire from the office which he has filled so acceptably. Mr. Ross will enter upon his duties as Commissioner. On the same day Mr. Ross will turn over to the master of the city postoffice to Captain Sherwood. Mr. Hine will spend several months in New York after his retirement from the Commission.

District Appointments.

Mr. A. H. McCormick, having resigned his position in the Assessor's Office, salary \$1,000, Mr. Thomas B. Shoenberger has been promoted to fill the vacancy. Mr. H. C. Shoenberger has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Mr. Shoenberger.

Now's the Time.

Never put off till to-morrow That which needs doing to-day. If you are going to do general housework, no washing or ironing must stay at night. Get your clothes clean and dry, and your house in order, and you will find that you are doing it better than you could if you put it off till to-morrow.

WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COOK; Whites with city references. Call between 11 and 12 o'clock at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—A RESPECTABLE WHITE GIRL as nurse. Apply at 720 12th st. n. w.

WANTED—A WHITE WOMAN AS CHAMBERMAID. Apply with references at 102 N. M. st. n. w.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK/WOMAN. Cook and chambermaid; the best city references. Apply 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—AN HONEST, RELIABLE COLORED GIRL for housework; best references required. Apply 601 Q st. n. w.

WANTED—FOR SALE, CROSS ELECTRIC SYSTEM. Address 1011 11th st. n. w.

WANTED—A GIRL TO WORK AT TAILORING. Apply H. H. WOOD, cor. 12th and G sts. n. w.

WANTED—A TIN AND SHEET-METAL WORKER. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—A COMPETENT HOUSEMAN. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—WHITE GIRL OR WOMAN. German preferred. To do general housework; no washing or ironing must stay at night. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—A CLEAN, TIDY WHITE GIRL. To cook and do light washing and ironing in a private family; references required. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—A GOOD, HONEST, SETTLED colored or white woman to do light housework; no washing in a private family; references required. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—A RESPECTABLE SETTLED woman to do light housework; no washing in a private family; references required. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

WANTED—A WOMAN FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

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WANTED—A BOY ABOUT SIXTEEN years must be able to groom a horse and do light housework. Apply at 1011 K st. n. w.

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